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Has the Citizen suspended publication? Haven't seen it for a week.

And now they have established a corset trust. What next?—Tucson Star.

A chemist trust.

A. A. Jones' well in Prescott is reported to go dry and fill up again at intervals in a very strange sort of a way.—Courier.

The same condition is noticeable in several prominent citizens of Florence.

Judge M. H. Williams, ex-District Attorney of Maricopa county, was bitten by a rattlesnake at Agua Caliente last Tuesday and died from the effects of the poison the following day.

Two many Florence friends of Mr. W. P. Dunham are glad to see him cutting such a wide swath in Colorado. He is a thorough mining man, and has brought much capital into Pinal county. He was shrewd enough to get hold of some of the best mines on Mineral Creek, and has shown his faith by his development work.

The announcement is made that the Santa Fe will be extended from Phoenix to Ingleside, the new town recently located at the falls on the Arizona canal. It is not without the range of possibility that the road may be extended still further to Florence and Mineral Creek. The latter point is destined to become one of largest and most flourishing mining camps in Arizona.

The following from the Tucson Star is as true as gospel: Whenever you hear anyone trying to discount another, or by innuendoes attempting to injure his business or reputation, keep him talking and you will discover that he has been assisted by that same individual. As Cocking once said, "The bitterest enemies I have made are those I have assisted to office who were not worthy of the place." It is the very selfish man who generally goes back on his benefactors and these you often find in political life. The same facts obtain in nearly every channel of business.

Things still continue to come rough for the Rough Riders. W. S. Traynor, a member of that famous organization, was shot in Wilcox a week ago by W. F. Downing, who has since been exonerated. One shot entered Traynor's heart; two penetrated his skull, and one passed through his shoulder. It is needless to say he is dead. Bad blood had existed between the men for some time, and Traynor had the misfortune to drop his hands from the bars Downing entered Fulghum's room. Downing was in fear of his life, and so he commenced shooting, though the evidence went to show that the Rough Rider was unarmed. Moral—Keep your hands on the bar.

United Effort Needed.

[From the Phoenix Enterprise.]

Every citizen of Arizona should use his influence toward securing aid, either governmental or private capital, to be applied to the impounding of water in this territory. This is not a local question by any means. It is one of vital interest to all the people of the territory. Those engaged in mining and other pursuits remote from the agricultural sections have a like interest with the farmer, as increase of the arable area adds materially to the taxable wealth, besides, it will largely increase the agricultural output and thus cheapen the value of provisions and products, hay, grain and vegetables, that now are bought in the mountain camps at a high price.

Our delegate to congress, Gen. J. F. Wilson, is bending every effort to secure the necessary information to enable him to properly present our claims for recognition by the general government. In this work he should have the assistance of all who are interested in the welfare of Arizona.

William Buckland, a mining expert, newspaper man, sailor and one of the pioneers in the gold fields at Johannesburg, South Africa, stopped off to visit us Wednesday. Last summer while prospecting in the Wallapai mountains he discovered the Skeleton mine, which he recently sold for \$40,000. On returning from his prospect last summer, being "dead broke," he held down a case to replenish the inner man and get a few dollars ahead. From here he went to Albuquerque, where he worked on the Citizen until he sold his mine. He will soon be heard from in important mining operations in this territory, as there is plenty of capital backing him.—[Holbrook Argus.

A NEW DECLARATION.

As Revised by an International High Commission Acting under Authority of and by Common Consent of the Several Nations Represented.

[To be strictly observed at all future 4th of July celebrations within the American Empire.]

When, in the course of human events, it becomes necessary for one people of a superior order to dissolve the political bands which have hitherto connected them with another, vastly inferior to themselves in ties of blood, in wealth, in dignity and in station, and to assume among the great powers of the earth the separate and exalted station to which the laws of wealth and of heredity entitle them, a decent respect for the opinions of mankind requires that they should declare the causes which impel them to the separation. We hold these truths to be self-evident: that a few men are created superior; that they are endowed by their Creator with certain inalienable rights; that among these are, the life, the liberty, the labor and all the products of all inferior classes; that to secure these rights, governments are instituted among men, deriving their just powers from the consent of the aristocracy; that whenever any form of government becomes destructive of these ends, it is the right of the lords of wealth to alter or abolish it and to institute a new government, laying its foundations on such principles, and organizing its powers in such form as to them shall seem most likely to effect their safety and their happiness. Prudence, indeed, will dictate that governments long established should not be changed for light and transient causes; and, accordingly, we have been more disposed to suffer while evils are sufferable than to right them by using the power at our command. But when a long train of abuses, insults and assaults on our sacred rights of property, tending invariably to the same object, evinces a design on the part of the plebeian mob to reduce us to absolute destitution, further forbearance ceases to be a virtue. Such has been our patient sufferance, and such is now the necessity which constrains us to crush the serpent beneath the iron heel of our united powers. To recite in detail even a minor part of the infamies, the insults and abuses hurled at our innocent heads would be too voluminous for this declaration.

History teaches that all governments in all ages of the world had among their subjects a small percentage of disloyal, discontented, daredevil spirits affecting to believe and teach the absurd doctrine that men, ordinary men, are capable of and have the right to govern themselves. As if the Divine Ruler did not understand his business when he in his infinite wisdom and goodness appointed priests and rulers over them to prevent them from devouring each other. What horrible sacrilege! And as a corollary to the above, this High Commission has arrived at the inevitable conclusion that 95 per cent of all disturbances, the tumults, the riots, the beheadings, the wars and bloodshed of every kingdom on earth, are directly or indirectly due to this cause. Hence the remedy is clear and simple—let his august majesty Emperor Wm. McK. issue his imperial proclamation empowering any and all loyal subjects to consider himself, herself individually or themselves severally or collectively (as the case may be) a committee to probe, to pry and to spy on his or her neighbor, and if by look, gesture, word or action it may be inferred that thoughts of treason, such as veneration for rebels in revolt, past or present, lurk in the mind of the suspect, let the fact be promptly reported to the proper authorities. Failure to so report will be deemed an act of treason. Believing that our labors are finished, and hoping your Majesty will approve the same, and for the support of this declaration, and in a firm reliance upon the potency of our God, we mutually pledge to each other our bonds, our daughters and our sacred oil. Signed on behalf of the American Empire by J. D. Soakwater, W. H. Vanderalst, Whiteclaw Sneaky, and Phil. Roastemeyer, for Germany, Herr Von Liechen Schprecher; for Austria, Prince Von Osenkalt; for Russia, Count Yarroviexenborken; for England, Lord Cushmanrider; for England, Israel Clovenstein, a Jew.

A PROCLAMATION.

To the subjects of the greater American Empire:

Whereas, complaint has been made to me by rulers and high dignitaries of states in other countries, to the effect, (to wit), that my subjects have been for more than a century, and are still permitted without restraint to assemble in public places on a certain day of each year, viz: The fourth day of July, then and there to openly and vulgarly indulge in practices and proceedings essentially treasonable, and glaringly insulting to the sovereigns of friendly nations abroad, as well as to our greatest magnates at home; and

Whereas, such proceedings as the reading of inflammatory literature, of which the old declaration is chief in inciting to riot, and when supplemented by fiery denunciatory harangues on one hand and eulogium and glorification of treason and rebellion on the other, it is like casting firebrands among dry stubble, liable at any moment to burst into flame that may jeopardize if not wholly destroy the friendly relations now existing between this and the other great powers of the earth; and

Whereas, by international agreement between the powers in interest, a High Commission in council convened did on the 22d day of May, in the year of our Lord 1899, revise, modify and amend and eliminate from the old declaration its most offensive features to make it consistent with the changed conditions,

Now, therefore, I, the sovereign ruler of all the Americas, including the Isles of the seas, do on this day and year aforesaid, by virtue of the power vested in me, and the duties and responsibilities resting upon me by reason of my high office, publicly proclaim and publish this my first sovereign command. Know all men that from and after this date all celebrations as formerly conducted will be deemed acts of high treason, and all persons, individually and collectively, so offending will incur the death penalty and will be dealt with accordingly.

(Signed)

WM. M. MCKANDOVER,
Emperor.

The Bryan Mines to Ship Ore.

[From the Globe Silver Belt.]

Mrs. Alfred Kinney returned last Monday from her mines (the Bryan group) near Riverside, where she made arrangements to ship ore to a custom smelter. Two car loads of ore had been sorted and were to be shipped as soon as the sacks, ordered at Tucson, arrived. This lot is to be hauled to Casa Grande for shipment, and subsequent shipments will be made from Pico station.

The Bryan mines are well developed and have large bodies of high grade copper, glance and carbonate ores exposed; it is the intention to ship 100 tons or more of ore monthly. A new and important strike of glance ore was made recently in one of the claims of the group. Experts who have examined the Bryan mines pronounce them a very valuable property, and Mrs. Kinney has received several handsome offers for them, but considering the large amount of high grade ore in sight and the moderate cost of mining and delivering it at the railroad, Mrs. Kinney concluded that it was a better proposition to hold on to them, the shipment of ore promising to be very profitable. A quantity of Tralls and a car have been ordered, to facilitate the handling of the ore.

Considerable chloriding is being done in the Riverside district and ore shipments will be largely increased at an early date.

Mrs. Kinney found the road between Globe and the county line in excellent condition better than she had ever seen it before, for which the Gila county supervisors and the contractor who repaired it are deserving of praise. The road in Gila county is in marked contrast to that portion in Pinal county, which is in a wretched condition.

Livestock is looking well; cattle are round and sleek, and feed is abundant in the Riverside country.

Between 10 and 11 o'clock last Wednesday night, a burglar broke into the rear of the Harvey House, at Ash Fork. Several employees of the house saw him and rushed in and captured him, and, it is said, tied him to a chair, but did not search him for arms. The burglar requested to be allowed to walk over to the water cooler for a drink. His request was granted. When he got there he whipped out a big revolver, held his captors up and ran out through the door. The dishwasher ran behind the counter, grabbed a revolver and shot the robber through the right shoulder as he passed out. The dishwasher ran after the robber when the latter turned and fired, shooting the dishwasher in the right breast, the bullet passing through the body, ranging down and emerging from the lower part of the back. The burglar escaped, boarded a freight train, was captured at Kingman and brought back to Ash Fork. District Attorney Ling left for Ash Fork yesterday to take the dishwasher's last statement, as his wound is considered fatal. Under Sheriff Johns left for Ash Fork this morning and will return with the robber. He came from Tucson via Phoenix, and was suspected in both places of being a safe cracker.—[Prescott Courier.

Gus Heyman, a commercial man who is winding up a career of 21 years spent in running over Arizona, says that the territory has never had a brighter outlook than it enjoys at present, which he attributes solely to the onward stride of its mining industry. Mr. Heyman is at present in this city and makes the statement without fear of contradiction, that of all western states or territories Arizona is now the mining center, and that the future promises well for every mineral section within its borders.—[Journal Miner.

I consider it not only a pleasure but a duty I owe to my neighbors to tell about the wonderful cure effected in my case by the timely use of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I was taken very badly with flux and procured a bottle of this remedy. A few doses of it effected a permanent cure. I take pleasure in recommending it to others suffering from that dreadful disease.—J. W. LYNN, Dorr, W. Va. This remedy is sold by Brockway's Pharmacy.

A \$250,000 Mine Deal Put Through.

[From the Denver Republican, May 21.]

W. P. Dunham, owner of the Scottish Chief and other properties at Cripple Creek, last night acquired the controlling interest in the properties of the Wilson Creek Mining and Milling company. Though no exact figures were given out, it is understood that at least \$250,000 in cash changed hands.

A long consultation, lasting nearly the entire day, was held yesterday at the Brown Palace hotel between the owners of the properties, W. P. Dunham being present for the Scottish Chief and other holdings interested, and George Wallace and J. M. Bonney for the Wilson Creek Mining and Milling Company.

This deal will have an important influence on one of the largest and most protracted mining lawsuits in the history of Colorado mining. By this move W. P. Dunham concentrates all the interests opposed to the Hull City Placer in his own hands. He now holds all the lode claims which are included in the limits of the placer claim located by the Hull City Placer Company and the many-sided fight which has been waged for many years against the Placer company will now be directed by a single management and will be backed by the same capitalists.

During late years the Wilson Creek company has been the most important interest carrying on litigation against the Hull City company. Lack of funds forced it to cease activity. With these added interests on his side, Mr. Dunham materially strengthens his position.

Denver capital is behind the interests united under Mr. Dunham's name. It is understood that the most influential mining men of the city have a finger in the transaction. This means that another important mining office will be added to the Denver Mining exchange, and as important a one removed from the exchange at Colorado Springs.

The object of the combined interests is the complete cancellation of the patent held by the placer company. The situation now is such that the fight can be pushed vigorously, and assurance is given that this will be done. Two attorneys have been added to the list already in the service of the Dunham party. C. J. Hughes, Jr., will act for the Scottish Chief, and Tyson S. Dines for the Wilson Creek company.

In his lease on the Longfellow mine, Mr. Dunham has just made a rich strike. The ore was come upon at a depth of 135 feet, in the east cross-cut. It is a seven-foot vein, which assays as high as \$3,000 to the ton.

Mr. Geo. A. Mintz returned from Globe this morning. He has disposed of his interest in the Globe Times to his former partner, Mr. E. C. Brown, who will continue the business and it is hoped drift into that prosperity that most newspaper men deserve and so few enjoy.—[Phoenix Herald.

The ancients believed that rheumatism was the work of a demon within a man. Any one who has had an attack of sciatic or inflammatory rheumatism will agree that the infliction is demondiac enough to warrant the belief. It has never been claimed that Chamberlain's Pain Balm would cast out demons, but it will cure rheumatism, and hundreds bear testimony to the truth of this statement. One application relieves the pain, and this quick relief which it affords is alone worth many times its cost. For sale by Brockway's Pharmacy.

Mining Application No. 679.

Survey No. 1525.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Tucson, Arizona, May 18, 1899.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of Chapter Six, Title Thirty-two, of the Revised Statutes of the United States, Clara Kinney, whose post office address is Globe, Gila county, Arizona, by her Attorney in Fact, J. S. Sullivan, whose post office address is Florence, Pinal county, Arizona, claiming the William J. Bryan No. 2 Lode Mining Claim, bearing gold, silver and copper covering 1500 feet of the William J. Bryan No. 1 Lode, north 73 degrees 40 minutes west with surface ground 600 feet in width, situated in Riverside Mining District, Pinal county, Arizona, has made application to the United States for a patent for the said mining claim, described by the official plat posted, and by the field notes on file in the office of the Register of the United States Land Office at Tucson, Arizona, as follows, to wit:

Beginning at corner No. 1, a quartz rock 24x10x6 inches marked 1-1225, whence the west 1/4 corner to section 7, township 4 south, range 14 east, Gila and Salt River Base and Meridian, bears north 87 degrees 30 minutes east 184 feet, thence north 16 degrees 20 minutes east 600 feet, to corner No. 2; thence south 73 degrees 40 minutes east 1500 feet, to corner No. 3; thence south, 16 degrees 20 minutes west 650 feet to corner No. 4; thence north 73 degrees 40 minutes west 1500 feet to corner No. 1, the place of beginning; variation at all corners is degrees 30 minutes east; total area of claim, 29.60-100 acres.

Survey and location are identical. This claim is located partly on surveyed and partly on unsurveyed land, a part being on the northwest 1/4 of section 7, township 4 south, range 14 east, Gila and Salt River Base and Meridian, and a part on what will be, if surveyed, the southwest 1/4 of said section 7.

The location is recorded in Book 14,

A. F. BARKER.

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Records of Mines, Page 328, of the Records of Pinal county, Arizona.

Adjoining claims: William J. Bryan No. 1 on the north, and the William J. Bryan No. 3 on the south, both owned by the claimant herein.

Any and all persons claiming adversely any portion of said lode or mining ground are required to file their adverse claims with the Register of the United States Land Office at Tucson, Arizona, during the sixty days period of publication hereof, or they will be barred by virtue of the provisions of the statute.

MILTON R. MOORE,
Register.

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Notice for Publication.

(Homestead Application No. 2157.)

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

LAND OFFICE AT TUCSON, ARIZ., April 21, 1899.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of the District Court at Florence, Arizona, on Saturday, June 3, 1899, viz: Beverly P. Herndon, for the NW 1/4 Sec. 28, T. 9 S., R. 8 E., G. & S. R. B. & M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: John G. Keating, William Y. Price, Albert P. Barker and Louis E. Graham, all of Florence, Arizona. MILTON R. MOORE, Register.

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